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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

MICHIGAN, *et al.*,

Case No. 3:20-cv-4478-JD

Plaintiffs,
v.

**STIPULATED REQUEST TO
ENLARGE TIME TO ANSWER THE
COMPLAINT**

BETSY DEVOS, *and*
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,

Defendants.

1 Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 6-2, Plaintiffs and Defendants file this stipulation regarding
2 Defendants' deadline to file their Answer to Plaintiffs' Complaint. The parties stipulate to a 14-
3 day enlargement, such that Defendants' Answer shall be due by September 22, 2020, absent
4 further orders by the Court or agreement by the Parties.

5 This Court enjoined application of the challenged Interim Final Rule on August 26, 2020,
6 *see* ECF No. 82, and ordered the parties to file a Case Management Statement by September 10,
7 2020. The parties have been communicating and preparing to file that Statement. In the interim,
8 however, the District Court for the District of Columbia entered partial summary judgment and
9 vacated the Interim Final Rule on September 4, 2020. *See National Association for the*
10 *Advancement of Colored People, et al., v. DeVos, et al.*, 1:20-cv-01996, ECF No. 77. Defendants
11 are still reviewing that ruling and determining next steps for all related litigation. Given this
12 significant recent development, the parties stipulate to a 14-day extension of Defendants'
13 deadline to answer, to allow this case to proceed in the most expeditious and efficient manner
14 practicable.

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